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# **FEMA**

# Daily Operations Briefing Friday, December 16, 2016 8:30 a.m. EST

Significant Activity – Dec 15-16



#### Significant Events: None

#### Significant Weather:

- Snow, Sleet, and Freezing Rain Middle Mississippi Valley to Mid-Atlantic, Northeast, and New England
- Freezing Rain Portions of Central Great Basin and Southwest
- Heavy Snow Rockies to Great Lakes
- Strong to Severe Thunderstorms Great Basin to Southwest; Central/Lower Mississippi Valley to Tennessee Valley
- Heavy Rain and Flooding/Flash Flooding possible Southern CA
- Critical/Elevated Fire Weather CO, KS, OK, TX, and NM
- Red Flag Warnings CO
- Space Weather Past 24 hours none; next 24 hours none predicted

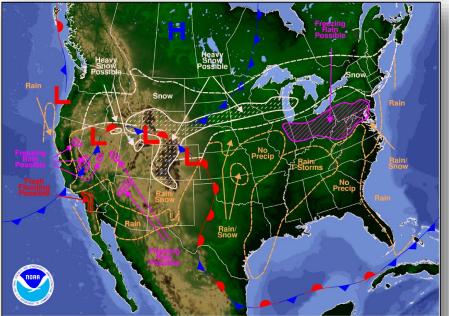
Tropical Activity Western Pacific: No activity affecting U.S. interests

Earthquake Activity: No significant activity affecting U.S. interests

Declaration Activity: Major Disaster Declaration approved - TN

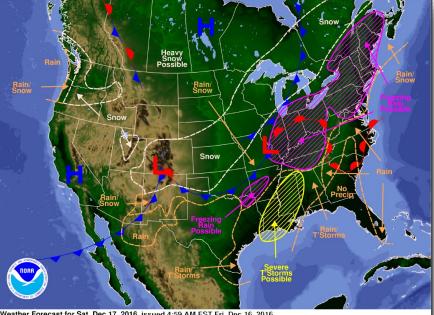
### National Weather Forecast





Today

Weather Forecast for Fri. Dec 16, 2016, issued 4:55 AM EST DOCINOAA/NWS/NCEP/Weather Prediction Center Prepared by Mcreynolds based on WPC, SPC and NHC forecasts

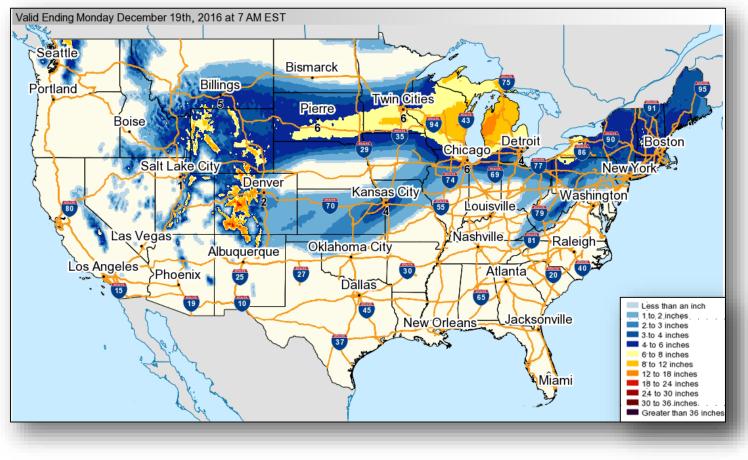


Weather Forecast for Sat. Dec 17, 2016, issued 4:59 AM EST Fri, Dec 16, 2016 DOC/NOAA/NWS/NCEP/Weather Prediction Center Prepared by Mcreynolds based on WPC, SPC and NHC forecasts

**Tomorrow** 

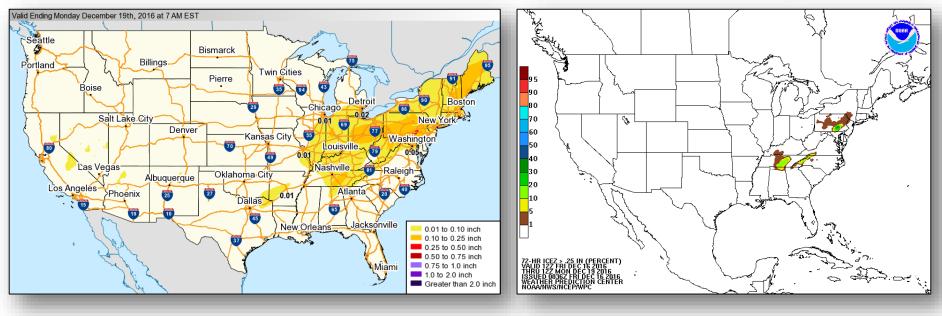
#### Forecast Snowfall – Days 1-3





#### Ice Accumulation – Days 1-3



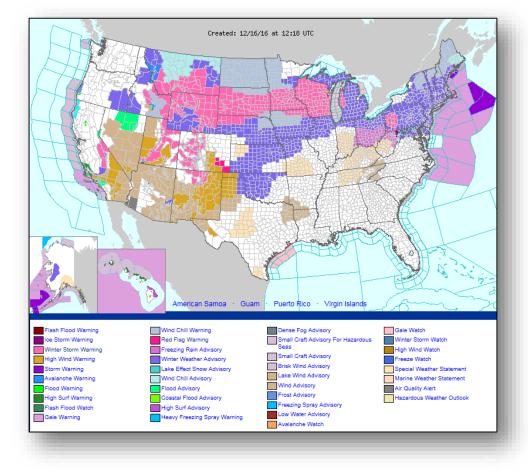


**Deterministic Forecast for Next 72 Hours** 

Probability for >0.25" of Ice Accumulation During Next 72 Hours

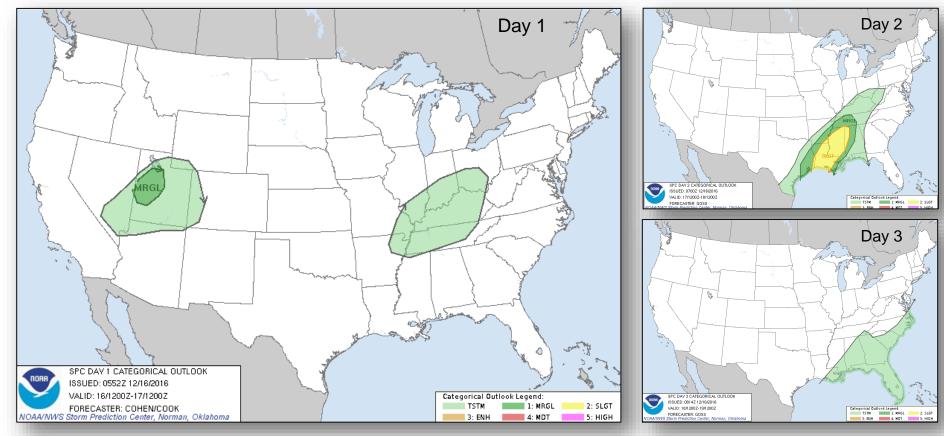
# Active Watches and Warnings





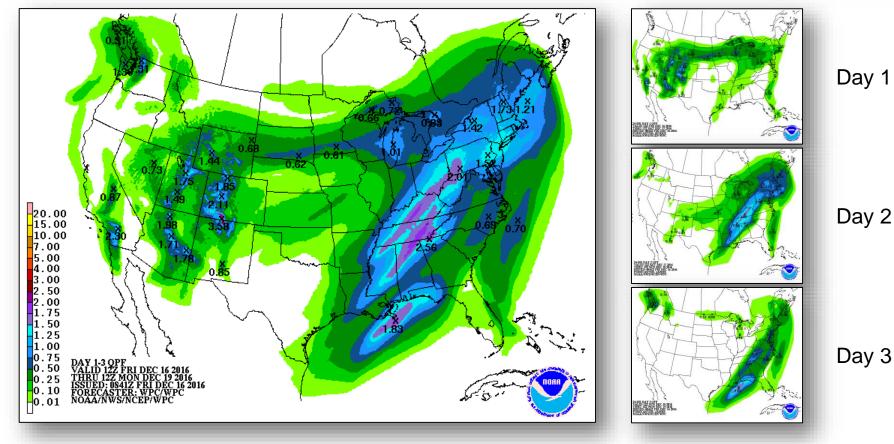
### Severe Weather Outlook – Days 1-3





### Precipitation Forecast – Days 1-3





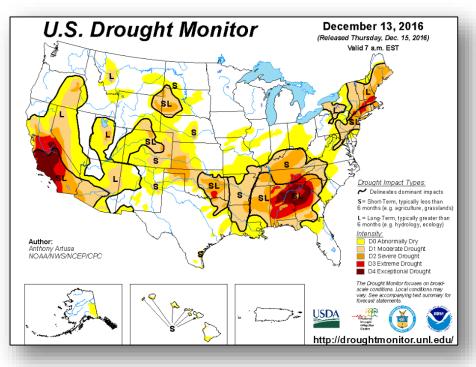
#### Hazards Outlook – Dec 18-22

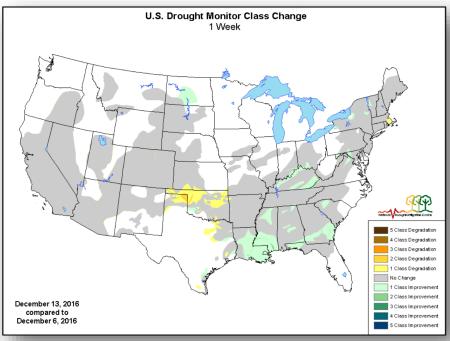




# U.S. Drought Monitor



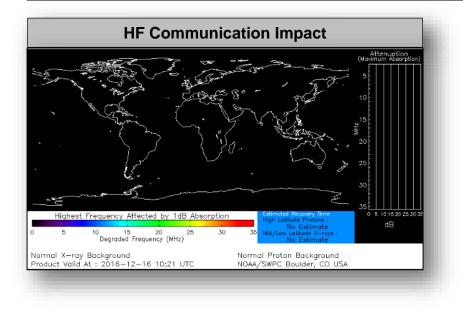


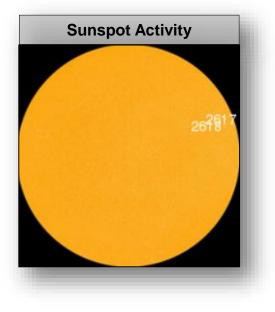


# Space Weather



	Space Weather Activity	Geomagnetic Storms	Solar Radiation	Radio Blackouts			
Past 24 Hours	None	None	None	None			
Next 24 Hours	None	None	None	None			
For further information on NOAA Space Weather Scales refer to http://www.swpc.noaa.gov/noaa-scales-explanation							





## Disaster Requests & Declarations



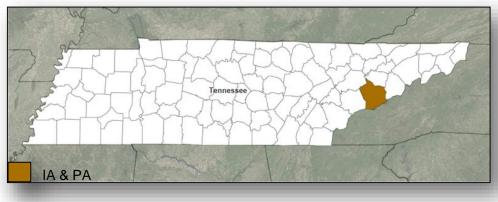
Declaration Requests in Process	Requests APPROVED (since last report)	Requests DENIED (since last report)	
0	Date Requested	1	0
TN – DR Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, Tornadoes, Landslides, Drought, and Wildfires	December 9, 2016	Declared December 15, 2016	

# Declaration Approved



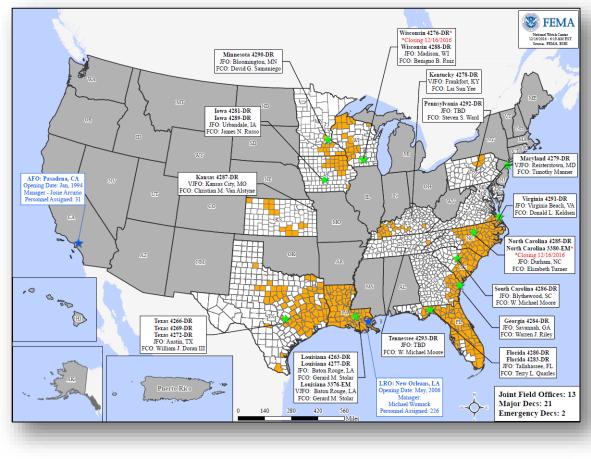
#### FEMA-4293-DR-TN

- Major Disaster Declaration approved on December 15, 2016 for the state of Tennessee
- For wildfires during the period November 28 to December 9, 2016
- Provides IA and PA for Sevier County, including:
  - Debris removal and emergency protective measures (Cat A and B)
  - $\circ~$  Direct federal assistance
- Hazard Mitigation statewide
- FCO is W. Michael Moore



# **Open Field Offices**





# Readiness – Deployable Teams and Assets



Resource	Status	Total		/IC lable	Partially Available	Not Available	Detailed, Deployed, Activated	Comments	Rating Criteria	
National IMAT		3	2	66%	0	0	1	East 2 to LA (DR-4277)	Green = 3 Teams Available Yellow = 1 - 2 Teams Available Red = 0 Teams Available <i>N-IMAT red if 50% of Section Chiefs or Team</i> Leader unavailable for deployment.	
Regional IMAT		13	7	53%	0	0	6	Deployed: Region II to CA (CERTEX) Redeploy Dec 16 Region III to VA (DR-4291) Region IV-1 to NC (DR-4285) Region IV-2 to FL (DR-4280/4283) Redeploy Dec 16 Region V to MN (DR-4290) Region VII to IA (DR-4281)	Green = > 6 Teams Available Yellow = 4 - 6 Teams Available Red = < 4 Teams Available R-IMAT also red if TL or Ops / Log Chief is unavailable & has no qualified replacement	
FCO		34	9	26%	0	2	23		OCD Readiness FCO Green Yellow Red Type 1 3+ 2 1 Type 2 4+ 3 2	
FDRC		11	3	27%	0	2	6		Type 2 4+ 3 2   Type 3 4+ 3 2   FDRC 3 2 1	
US&R		28	28	100%	0	0	0		Green = > 66% Available Yellow = 33% - 66% Available Red = < 33% Available	
MERS		18	18	100%	0	0	0	Assets are supporting: MN (DR-4290)	Green = > 66% Available Yellow = 33% - 66% Available Red = < 33% Available	

# Readiness – National and Regional Teams



Resource	Status	Total	FMC Available		Partially Available	Not Available	Status	Comments	Rating Criteria
NWC		5	5	100%	0	0	Watch / Steady State		
NRCC		2	2	100%	0	0	Not Activated		
HLT		1	1	100%	0	0	Not Activated		• Green = FMC • Yellow = PMC • Red = NMC
RRCCs		10	10	100%	0	0	Not Activated		
RWCs/MOCs		10	10	100%	0	0	Watch / Steady State		





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